



RESIDENTIAL SWIMMING POOL AND SPA/HOT TUB SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

City of New Port Richey
Development Department
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Permit # _____

Date Received: _____

APPLICANT'S AFFIDAVIT:

I (We) acknowledge that a new swimming pool, spa or hot tub will be constructed or installed at

_____, and hereby affirm that one of the following methods shall be used to meet the requirements of section 424.2, Florida Building Code- Building 2007 Edition.

Please initial any & all the methods proposed

_____ The pool will be isolated from access to the home by an enclosure that meets the pool barrier requirements of the Florida Building Code, section 424.2.17.1.

Submit plans specifying the type and location of barrier.

_____ The pool will be equipped with an approved safety pool cover that complies with ASTM F 1346. (Standard Performance Specifications for Safety Covers for Swimming Pools, Spas, and Hot Tubs)

Submit manufacturer's product compliance information

_____ A combination of non-dwelling walls such as a screen enclosure and a child fence will protect the pool perimeter. Submit plans specifying the type and location of non-dwelling walls.

_____ All doors and windows providing direct access from the home to the pool and located within:

Fence, or Screen Enclosure, includes self-closing, self-latching devices and/or exit alarms complying with UL 2017 and Florida Building Code section 424.2.17.1.9.

Submit plans specifying the type and location of all perimeter protection.

Fences and Screen Enclosures require a separate permit. Fences must comply with New Port Richey Code of Ordinance, section 6-202 and New Port Richey Land Development Code section 12.04.00. Pool screen enclosures may be located no closer than five (5) feet from side and rear lot lines except in waterfront yards where they shall not encroach more than ten (10) feet into the required setback and the encroachment shall be constructed with materials which allow for a clear, unobstructed view. All screen enclosures doors shall swing out, be self-closing and self-latching. Latches must be a minimum of fifty-four (54) inches from exterior landing.

A safety barrier shall protect the pool perimeter after excavation and while the area is under construction.

I understand and agree that not having at least one of the above methods installed at the time of Final Inspection, or when the pool is completed for contract purposes, shall constitute a violation of chapter 515, F.S. and shall be considered as committing a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in section 775.082 or section 775.083 F.S.

SIGNATURE _____

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF _____

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20__

_____, who is personally known to me and/or produced _____

Notary Public _____